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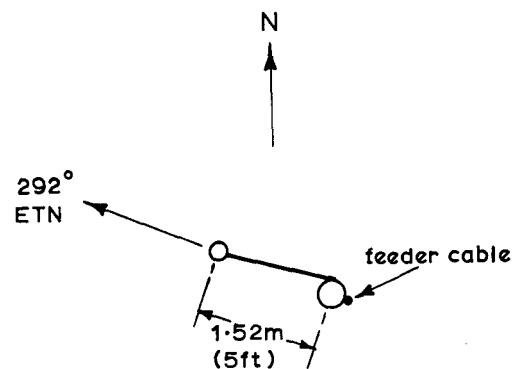
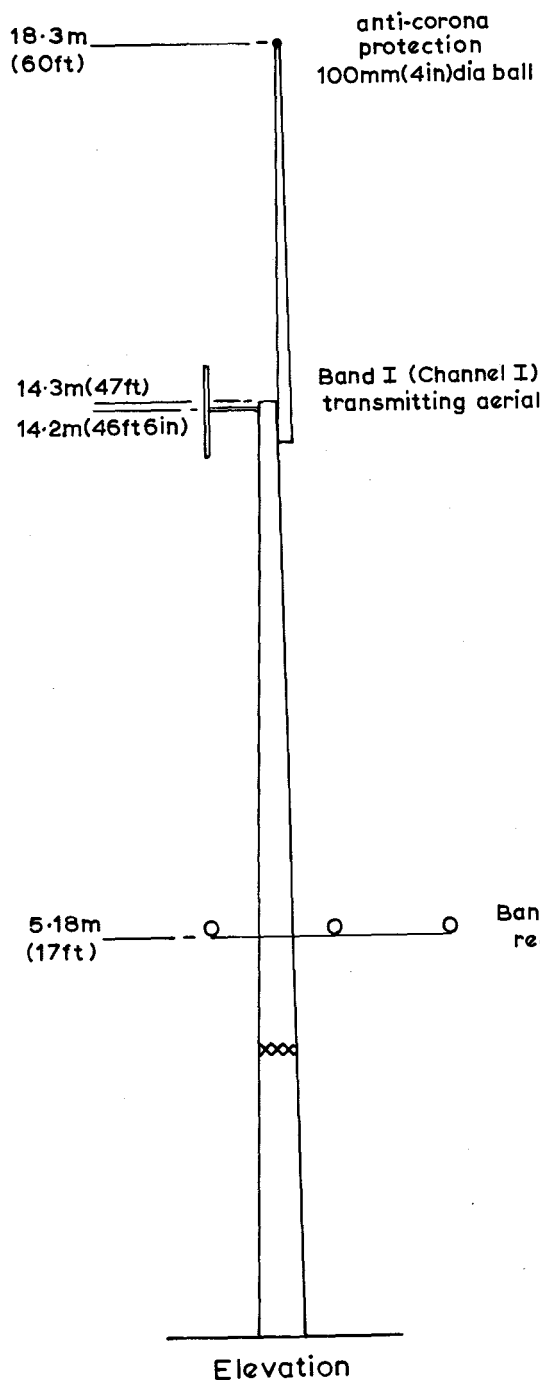
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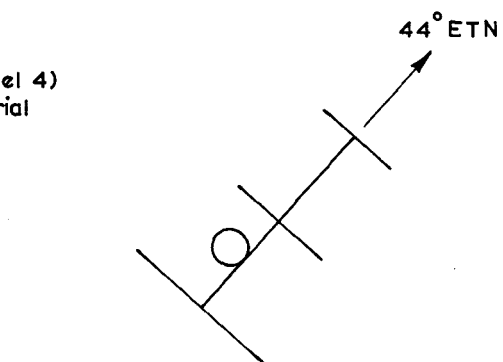
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Plan of Band I transmitting aerial



Plan of Band I receiving aerial

Fig. 1. General arrangement of aerials on wooden pole

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TELEVISION

NAME: BALLATER

SERVICE TRANSMISSIONS COMMENCED: 30th December 1967

SITE DATA

LOCATION: Approximately 0.8 km (0.5 mile)  
East of Ballater

GRID REFERENCE: NO 379954

HEIGHT, A.O.D.: 404 m (1325 ft)

TRANSMITTING AERIAL

DESCRIPTION: Single vertical  
 $\lambda/2$  dipole

NUMBER OF TIERS: 1

MEAN HEIGHT: 14.2 m (46 ft 6 in)  
a.g.l.

SUPPORT STRUCTURE

TYPE: Wooden Pole

OVERALL HEIGHT: 14.3 m (47 ft)

FEEDERS

TRANSMITTING: UR 67

GENERAL ARRANGEMENT

FIGURE: 1

RADIATION CHARACTERISTICS

POLARIZATION: Vertical

MEAN E.R.P.: 5 W

FREQUENCIES

BAND: I

CHANNEL: 1

VISION CARRIER OFFSET: - 20.25 kHz

SOUND CARRIER OFFSET: - 33.5 kHz

MAXIMUM E.R.P.: 6.3 W

H.R.P.: Fig. 2

TRANSMITTER

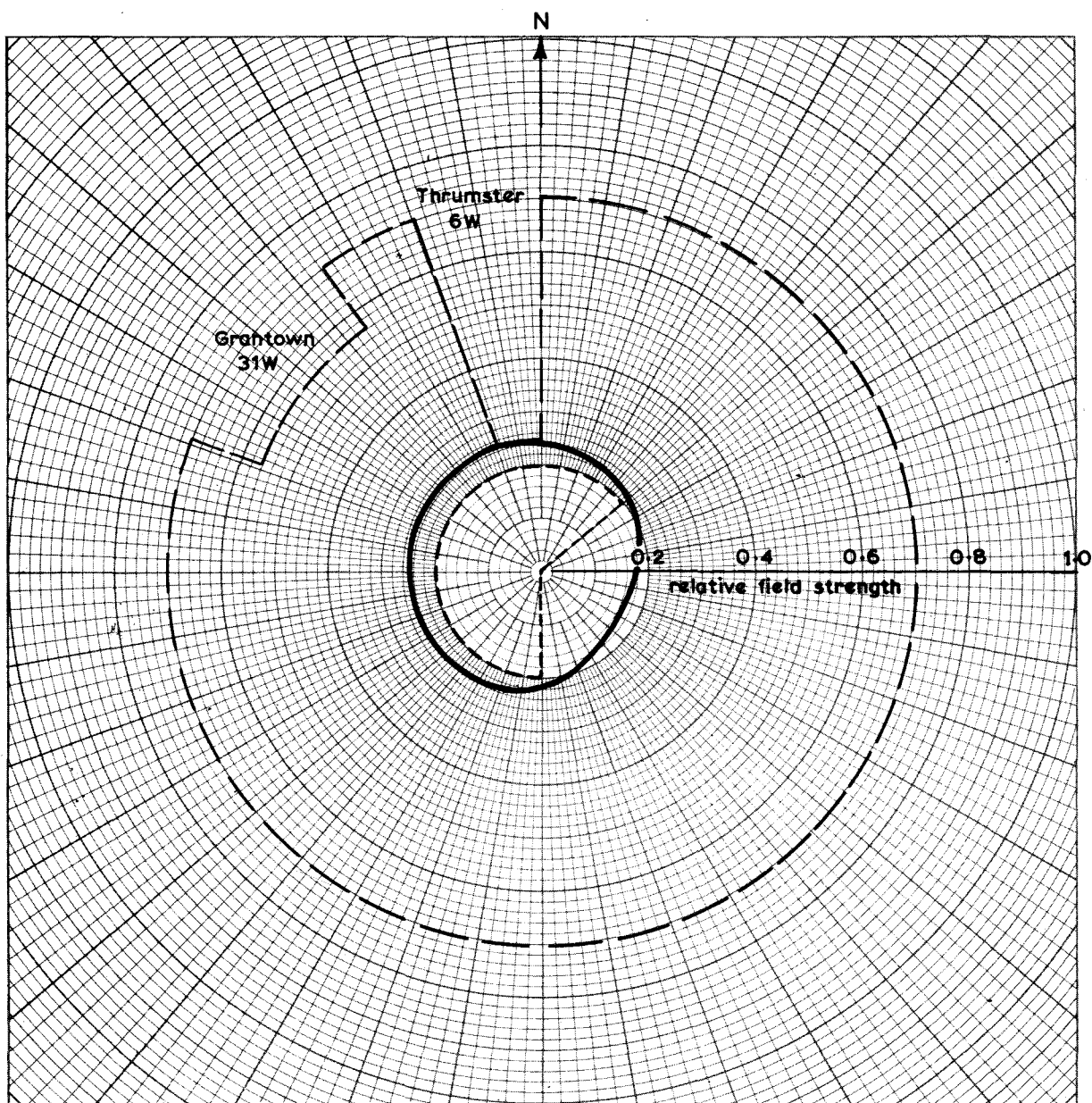
POWER: 6.6 watts (Translator)

PROGRAMME SOURCE

PARENT: Meldrum  
Obtained by direct reception

NOTES:

- Detailed information is given on the following drawings held by BBC Transmitter Planning and Installation Department:  
PID 9799.2.1A4 General Arrangement of Aerials on 55 ft Wooden Pole  
PID 8732.2.3J Transmitting Dipole, Type HPN  
PID 8732.2.4A2 Receiving Yagi, Type 353 P



**Fig.2. Templet and horizontal radiation pattern**

——— Maximum permissible E.R.P.

----- Minimum desirable E.R.P.

Unit field corresponds to an E.R.P. of 100W